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Confirmation No. 5263

DETECTABLE SPOOL AND  
ASSOCIATED HUB

In re Application of:  
Ernie L. Woosley et al.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

The Office Action dated February 26, 2004, has been carefully reviewed,  
and Applicant, by and through counsel, reply as follows.